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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Sir:

Applicants acknowledge receipt of the Office Action, dated July 10, 2006, and herewith petition the Commissioner for Patents under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)(3) for a three-month extension of time for filing this response from October 10, 2006, to January 10, 2007. Submitted herewith is a check in the amount of \$510 to cover the cost of the extension. Any deficiency or overpayment should be charged or credited to Deposit Account No. 50-1266.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

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